



ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

MEMORANDUM

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FROM: Robert Godare *RG/XB*SUBJECT: United Recovery MeetingENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
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On October 14, 1983, a meeting was held in the Rockford office between representatives of the I.E.P.A. and United Recovery. Those present at the meeting were as follows:

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Charles Corley	-	DWPC/IEPA
Joe Mall	-	DAPC/IEPA
Bob Wengrow	-	DLPC/IEPA
Bob Minger	-	DLPC/IEPA
Dick Jennings	-	DAPC/IEPA
Robert Godare	-	DAPC/IEPA
Ernest Brown	-	Owner - United Recovery

This meeting was organized as a result of several operating violations at United Recovery and due to health-associated complaints in the area. Mr. Brown was informed of the present problems with his operation and of the possible health problems being associated with the emissions from the dryer stack. Mr. Brown was then asked if he would voluntarily cease operations until such a time that compliance with all rules and regulations could be shown. Mr. Brown did not agree that the emissions from his dryer could have any health effects; however, he did agree to cease operations for the time being.

It appears at this point that the emergency health situation has been reduced considerably due to the ceasing of operations. The amount of time United Recovery will remain shut down or what procedures Mr. Brown will take to insure compliance are still unclear.

cc: Dick Jennings
Bobbi Glatz
Joe Mall
Bob Mueller (Attorney General's Office)
Howard Chein " "
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